

## FIGHT RAGES ABOUT MUKDEN

Japanese Began the Fighting, with Five Desperate Attacks Upon the Russian Line.

### RESULTS ARE AS YET IN DOUBT

Dispatches From Rome Announce That the Fight Is Being Fought Desperately by the Japanese Armies.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)  
Rome, Sept. 30.—The Agenzia Lire has a dispatch from Mukden reporting that a battle about that city began yesterday. The Japanese opened hostilities by delivering an attack from five different directions, all of which were very desperate. Kuropatkin sends word to St. Petersburg that the battle is imminent and that he has just finished reviewing several detachments of troops and has conferred the St. George's cross upon eighteen officers for gallant service in the battle of LiaoYang.

Advance Against Mukden.  
Epidemic Slaughter Japs.

The Daily Telegraph's Shanghai correspondent gives a vivid account of the terrible ravages of beri-beri among the Japanese, and especially among those besieging Port Arthur, asserting that deaths from disease exceed the number of those killed in the fighting. The correspondent adds that it is rumored the Japanese are preparing to occupy Salkalin.

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Similin learns that on an average of 150 railroad trucks a month are reaching there, laden with supplies for the Russians. Many of these consignments, the correspondent adds, are sent by private speculators, including Americans.

### SLAVS RETREATING FROM THE JAPANESE ADVANCE

Kuroki Has Completed His Strategic Move, and the Russians Are in a Trap.

Slantin, Sept. 30.—The capture of Da pass, news of which reaches here today, makes the success of the Japanese to outflank the Russian position from the east much easier and will permit the Japanese to threaten the Russian position from various points. Oyama already has begun the forward move along his center and left. Oku's divisions are pushing rapidly to the northeast along the Hui valley and his advance guard is reported within ten miles of Mukden and he is meeting with hardly any opposition.

The Russian cavalry has been extremely active, especially along the eastern front, during the past few days. Gen. Rennenkampf's successful dash at the rear of Kuroki's army has done much to hearten the Russians.

Reinforcements are constantly reaching the Japanese and the best estimates now place not less than 250,000 men in the Japanese armies which are converging on Mukden. The Russian commander also is being reinforced from the north and now at Tieling and Mukden in

DRINKS CARBOLIC ACID TO ESCAPE ASYLUM CELL

Mad Woman Shrewdly Outwits the Officers Who Come to Take Her to Hospital for Insane.

Elkhart, Ind., Sept. 30.—Mrs. Matilda Cullar, rather than go to the Longcliff Insane Hospital and leave her three young sons, drank carbolic acid and died within a few minutes.

"Forgive me, father," were the last words she uttered. They were addressed to her aged father, Rev. D. P. Miller, a minister of the Dunkard church, who lives north of Notre Dame.

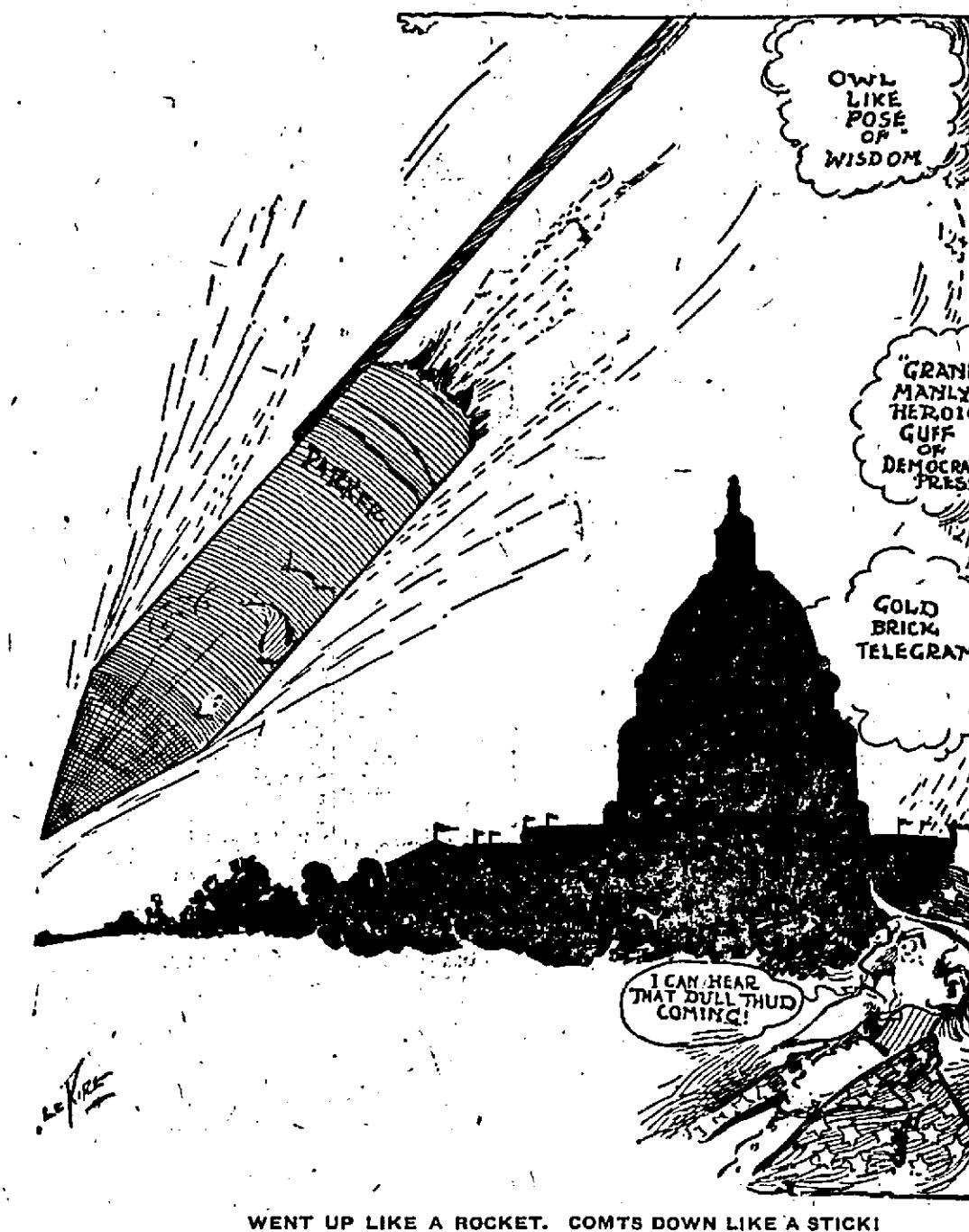
Mr. Miller and Mrs. Cullar's father-in-law, Simon Cullar of South Bend, had accompanied Sheriff Robertson and Matron Miller of South Bend to this city to escort Mrs. Cullar to the Longcliff asylum. Trouble was anticipated, as it was known she had two revolvers and had threatened her life. But she seemed quite cordial and unconcerned until told to prepare to leave. She then implored time to see her children, who were called from school.

"This memorial is signed by many influential people in England, including the earl of Aberdeen. We have in this memorial made several suggestions to your president as to what course and action we should like to have him take."

Buy It in Janesville.

James Oscar Webb and Samuel Arthur, negroes, were hanged at Philadelphia, Pa., to exonerate murders.

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WENT UP LIKE A ROCKET. COMES DOWN LIKE A STICK!

### LARGE NUMBER OF STUDENTS NOW

This Year Will See Three Thousand Mark Passed with Ease.

(Special to The Gazette.)

Madison, Wis., Sept. 30.—The fall semester of the University of Wisconsin began Wednesday with an attendance which promises to eclipse that of last year. At least 200 more students have registered this year than at the corresponding time last year. About 2,225 have registered. Of these, 1,150 are in the college of letters and science, 125 in the college of law, and 700 in the college of engineering. The others are in the school of agriculture and pharmaceutical department. More than 400 freshmen have registered for gymnasium work. The annual class gymnasium between the sophomores and the newcomers will come off October 6. The university faculty will be strengthened this fall by 42 new members who were chosen by the board of regents last June. Of these five are professors, 14 assistants and 22 are instructors.

**LEADERS SHOWING THEIR RESPECT**

Judge Parker Is Visited by All the leading New York Politicians.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

New York, Sept. 30.—Major McClellan and William F. Sheehan held conferences with Parker at the Hotel Seville this morning. Sheehan said: "The situation is satisfactory."

**SPARKS FROM THE WIRES**

Fire is ravaging the timber of the Bitter Root forest reserve in Montana.

The boiler-makers employed in the Trile railroad shops at Meadville, Pa., are on strike.

Jacob Prinkl was hanged at Greensburg, Pa., for the murder of W. J. Kelsey of East Chartier.

The postoffice safe at Sullivan, Mo., was blown open and about \$1,000 in money and stamps taken.

The fifteenth session of the trans-Mississippi commercial congress will meet at St. Louis Oct. 25 to 29.

The annual reunion of the One Hundred and Twenty-ninth volunteers came to a close at Pontiac, Ill.

George Frame, charged with helping to lynch the negro Maples at Huntsville, Ala., was acquitted.

William S. Alley of Alley, Conger & Co., and S. L. Blood of S. L. Blood & Co., were suspended from the New York Stock exchange for one year each.

Thomas W. Williams, a mining contractor of Wilkesbarre, Pa., and brother of former Congressman M. B. Williams, was accidentally killed in a coal mine.

Union University of Schenectady, N. Y., celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the inauguration of Rev. Dr. Elliphalet Nott as president of Union college.

Joseph W. Dufour died at Minneapolis, Minn., as the result of an attack by highwaymen who threw him over a cliff, a distance of forty feet, down to the Mississippi river.

Victor H. Metcalf, secretary of commerce and labor, investigated the need of an immigrant station for San Francisco and inspected a proposed site for the building on Angel Island.

### RAISING FUNDS FOR THE CREWS

Wisconsin Must Not Lack Boats and Equipment for Next Year's Racing.

(Special to The Gazette.)

Madison, Wis., Sept. 30.—Earl B. Rose of Milwaukee, commodore of the university crew department is determined that the crews next year shall not lack for racing shells and paraphernalia and he has started the work of raising funds already with gratifying success. He has caused the freshmen to be given an opportunity of subscribing cash for the crews as soon as they arrive in the university city. Already from this source \$500 has been raised. Heretofore the crew subscriptions have been delayed until the spring.

### WIFE MURDERER WAS HUNG TODAY

Cut His Wife's Throat and Then Tried to Commit Suicide—Made No Statement.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Frank Lewandowski, a wife murderer, was hanged at 10:30 this morning in the county jail. Two priests accompanied him to the gallows. He made no statement. Lewandowski cut his wife's throat and then tried to kill himself, but failed.

### HOMESICK GIRL TOOK HER LIFE

Fifteen Year Old Frances Parkhurst Drowned Herself in Lake Michigan.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

Chicago, Sept. 30.—The body of Frances Parkhurst, aged fifteen, who was missing last night from Ferry Hall, Lake Forest, and for whom hundreds of students and soldiers searched all night, was found this morning in Lake Michigan. All indications point to suicide. The girl came from Danvers, Ill., three weeks ago to enter college. It is believed she was homesick.

**TRINIDAD MAY BE ALL SWEPT AWAY**

Report From Denver Says Startling Story From That City Is Not Verified.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

Denver, Col., Sept. 30.—The rumor is current here that Trinidad has been partially swept away by the breaking of a reservoir containing an immense volume of water. The wires are down and the report cannot be verified.

**Death from Bright Accident.**

While carrying a keg of beer intended for a picnic in Reading, Pa., Elmer Kerchoff stumbled over a wire. The keg slipped so suddenly that the jar dislocated his neck.

**Pigeon's Long-Flight.**

One of a number of homing pigeons sent up from Nantes, France, boarded

ship 3,000 miles at sea.

### LIABILITIES ARE ON THE DECREASE

Bank Examiner Bergh Makes an Official Statement Regarding the State Banks.

(Special to The Gazette.)

Madison, Wis., Sept. 30.—According to the report of Comptroller of Banking M. C. Bergh there are a decline of more than \$2,000,000 in the resources and liabilities of the state banks of Wisconsin during the past three months. This decrease is due to the fact that two large banks at La Crosse have nationalized during the period covered by the report and are not included as the commissioners of banking has none of the national banks under his supervision. The changing of these two banks from state to national took out of the state bank report a large sum but it was made up in part by the addition of two new state banks and by an encouraging growth in the volume of banking business of the state.

### FAIRBANKS LEFT FOR HIS TRIPS

He Is Touring the State of Washington Today—Many Meetings.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 30.—The Fairbanks special left here at midnight for a few days' tour of the state. Stops will be made at Professor, North Yakima, Ellensburg, Cle Elum, and Auburn. A night meeting will be held at Tacoma.

### STATE NOTES

Mrs. Della Walnwright celebrated her one hundred and first birthday at Watertown on Thursday.

The congregation of St. Francis at Holland will erect a new parochial school building, to cost \$9,000.

Ronald J. McDonald, bartender at Rib Lake, was found dead, sitting upright in a chair in the saloon.

Mrs. Wrenie L. P. Davis has been granted a divorce by Judge Bolden from her husband, D. R. Davis.

A call has been extended by the Rev. R. D. Blythe of Victoria, B. C., by the Plymouth Congregational church of Burlington.

Rolland Kelley and Miss Mabel Armstrong of Brandon were married in Chicago unknown to their parents or relatives at Brandon.

The contract for the construction of the new Marinette county asylum has been awarded to George Gererson of Green Bay. His price was \$67,330.

The Rev. Frank Peeters, of St. Francis seminary at Holland, has been appointed pastor of St. John's church at Morrison, in place of the Rev. Mr. Huncke, resigned.

Reports circulated that 175 students and 12 teachers at Racine college had been poisoned from eating chicken served for supper, it is said, there having suffered from poisoning.

Second Lieutenant W. F. Bratt of company E, Second Wisconsin regiment of Fort du Lac, has received notice from the adjutant general that his resignation, offered recently, has been accepted, and that he is honorably discharged from the service.

Capt. Emil C. Ponsky has accepted a position with a manufacturing company of St. Paul and will resign.

## SENATOR HOAR PASSED AWAY

The End of His Long and Useful Career Came This Morning.

### WILL BE BURIED ON MONDAY NEXT

Last of the Old School of Statesmen—A Noted Senator—Was Prominent in the Affairs of State for Years.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)  
Worcester, Mass., Sept. 30.—The funeral service of Senator Hoar, who died at 1:35 this morning, will be held in the Church of the Unity in this city on Monday at 2:30. It is probable Rev. Edward Hale will officiate.

Senators from Massachusetts, died at his home in this city at 1:35 o'clock Friday morning, aged 78 years. The funeral service of Senator Hoar, who died at 1:35 this morning, will be held in the Church of the Unity in this city on Monday at 2:30. It is probable Rev. Edward Hale will officiate.

The attending physicians despaired of the senator's life six weeks ago, but such was the vitality exhibited by the patient that even they were surprised, and the public was at times led to cherish a faith in an ultimate recovery.

On Sept. 25, however, all hope was abandoned after a last unsuccessful attempt to administer medicine and nourishment. Brief lucid intervals were followed by longer durations of unconsciousness until Tuesday morning, when the venerable statesman sank into a state of coma from which all efforts to rouse him proved futile.

There were present at the bedside when death came the senator's son, Gen. Rockwood Hoar; his daughter, Mary Hoar, and Dr. Warren R. Gilman, who for weeks has been in almost constant attendance upon the senator.

Senator Hoar had been in ill health since last winter, and even when attending the sessions of the senate he was obliged to exercise extreme care lest his exertions should overcome him. At that time he was troubled with lumbar, and the death of his wife in Washington proved such a blow that he never recovered entirely from its effects.

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At ten o'clock this morning Dr. Magruder said the patient had shown some improvement in the last two hours.

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Keep His Condition Secret.

The extremely critical condition of the postmaster general was carefully concealed until it was feared it could not be safely done any longer.

Dr. P. M. Rixey, surgeon general of the navy, was called in consultation with Dr. Magruder and the following bulletin was made public Thursday night:

"The postmaster general has not been feeling well for several days and recently developed symptoms of heart trouble developed. These were severe during last night and the early portion of today. He responded to the remedies employed and is resting easier tonight."

Powerful restoratives were administered by the physicians and they took effect. Dr. Magruder remained at the hotel all night.

**Mrs. Payne Is Prostrated.**

Mrs. Payne is almost prostrated by the acknowledged seriousness of her husband's condition.

The announcement of the critical condition of the postmaster general came as an absolute surprise to his friends and business associates in Washington. It was known for several days that he had not been good, and it was not expected the attack would prove to be more than indigestion or a recurrence of the malady, epilepsy, from which he has been a lifelong sufferer.

## NO DECISION HANDED DOWN BY SUPREME COURT AS YET

Unless It Is Given Tomorrow, It Will Be Put Over Until October 18—

Is Anxiously Awaited.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

Madison, Sept. 30.—There was no decision in the La Follette case to-day. Unless the court hands down a decision tomorrow morning there will be no decision on the questions involved until October 18th. The leading politicians on both sides are at a loss to understand

**BEET FACTORY IS NEARLY COMPLETE**

WILL HAVE STEAM UP ON MONDAY NEXT.

**WONDERFUL FEAT PERFORMED**

Moving Factory From Dresden, Canada, and Erecting It Here In Five Months.

To remove an immense factory piece by piece from Dresden, Canada, and transport by vessel and trains over fifteen hundred miles and then erect it again and all in five months is a wonderful undertaking. Yet this has been accomplished by the Rock County Sugar company and on Monday next the plant will be in running order, just as announced last spring when the factory first talked of coming here. Few people in the city know the immense amount of work that has been done during the summer months, nor the number of men who have been employed almost constantly putting up this giant structure.

**Hard Work**

It has been hard work even for the four or five hundred men who have been constantly employed. It has given work to hundreds of Janesville men, has put money in circulation in Janesville, and hence has bettered the financial conditions of the community. There has been construction camps established near the ground where the foreign labor has been quartered and a little village of itself sprung up on the Paul farm at the southern end of the city. When Theodore Hapke told the Rock county farmers the factory would be ready for the beets by October 1st it was doubted by many, but Monday next the factory opens and while not completed in every detail it is ready for work.

**Machinery Connected**  
All the intricate machinery will be connected, the engine room ready and the big boilers with the proper steam up for starting the industry that will revolutionize farming in southern Wisconsin, by Monday morning. The immense sheds for the reception of the beets are completed. There is room for the deposits of hundreds of loads of beets as they are shipped in by outside growers or drawn in by wagon by farmers. It is a giant barn-like structure and will soon be teeming with life as the beets begin to arrive.**Not Completed**

None of the other buildings are really completed. The framework on the north end of the main building is no farther along than it was a month ago and no windows have as yet been put in, but these will come in a few weeks. Work in this line can be continued after the beet crop begins to arrive and actual work of making sugar has begun. Work on the office building is progressing rapidly and while the windows are in there is still much to be done. However, it will soon be finished and will be one of the most complete and best equipped factory offices in the state. The cooper shop was the first completed and is now being used for a store room until it will be needed as a cooper shop. The office building is separate from the main buildings, as is the cooper shop.

**Giant-like**

The buildings are giant-like in proportions. When viewed from a railway train they look like a city all by itself and with hundreds of busy men working there daily has created considerable talk among travelers. The majority of the bosses for the different departments have arrived from Dresden, Canada, and from Bay City, Michigan, where Captain Davidson has other factories. When completed it will give employment to many Janesville young men. Mr. Theodore Hapke has been the constructor of the factory and great credit is due him for the work he has done.

**Theodore Hapke**

When the Oxnard people of New York first commenced their operations in beet sugar in the United States some fifteen years ago, Mr. Hapke then a resident of Germany and an expert in the matter of beet sugar industry came to this country to assume charge of construction and has since that time been interested in the erection of fifteen factories.

Mr. Hapke understands every phase of the beet sugar business from the planting of the seed to the manufacture of sugar and the building of factories. He has secured capital for the erection of two more large factories in this state, their location will depend upon the district which produces the best beets. Mr. Hapke says he considers Wisconsin the best state in the union for the sugar beet industry and has moved his headquarters to this state from the east. Mr. Hapke is removing his family to Chicago for the winter but expects himself to remain in Janesville until New Year's.

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People's Drug Co and King's Pharmacy.**OUT OF TOWN CAMPS ARE TO BE INVITED**

Royal Neighbors Will Hold Banquet for the Lodges From Rockford and Evansville.

It has been decided by the local lodge of Royal Neighbors to invite the lodges from Evansville and Rockford here November 9. No definite arrangements have as yet been made but it is planned to have an elaborate banquet with program following. This will not be the only social event of this kind that the R. N. A. will have during the winter, but it is altogether probable that all the camps in this vicinity will be the guests of the Janesville camp at different times.

**GIRLS WILL HAVE ATHLETIC CLASS**

Miss Fletcher Will Direct Sixty Five Young Ladies of High School in Swedish Athletes.

Girls' athletics will be taken up in good earnest this year by the young ladies of the high school. Besides the regular class, school and second teams of basket ball there will be an athletic class, meeting twice a week. Sixty-five girls, the major portion recruited from the two lower classes, have already signified their intention of joining.

Miss Mabel Fletcher, instructor in botany and physical science, will have charge of the class. The work will not be physical culture but Swedish athletics and will meet twice a week in the gymnasium after school during the winter months.

The first class will be the first week in November and the last will be in the last week of next April, when on account of the weather it will be possible to take all the exercise necessary out of doors.

Each member of the class will provide herself with a regular gymnasium suit and a room for lockers and dressing purposes will be fixed up in the basement of the high school building. No one will be compelled to join the class, but all those who become members will have to attend regularly as in other classes of the school and will not be allowed to come in once or twice to see how they like it and then drop out.

**BIDS FOR SCHOOL TO BE OPENED MONDAY**

Contract for Garfield Building Will Not Be Awarded Unless Bids Are Lower.

Bids for the proposed Garfield school to be located at the corner of south Jackson and Union streets have again been advertised for by the board of education after a re-bidding of the original plans, because no bid was below the amount appropriated the former time when the bids were advertised for and opened. At the meeting of the board next Monday night the new set of bids will be opened and the contract awarded some time next week if the bids are under the specified amount.

If the contract is awarded the building can be so far completed that it will be ready for occupancy by the first of January, otherwise completion this year is doubtful.

**BEET BY PRODUCTS USEFUL TO FARMER**

Molasses and Pulp Makes the Most Excellent Kind of Feed for Cattle.

As with many of the factories that use the products of the soil the beet sugar factory has its by products that are of use to the farmer. The two by-products are pulp and molasses, or that part of the sugar which does not crystallize. The Massachusetts Agricultural College has already made a feeding and digestive experiment of this food and arrives at the following conclusions:

"1. Molasses-beet-pulp, a kiln dried residue of beet pulp and molasses, is low in protein and very high in carbohydrates. It differs chemically from corn meal in having more ash, a much larger amount of fiber, and only traces of fat. The carbohydrates of corn meal consist principally of starch, while those of molasses-beet-pulp are composed largely of sugar, pentosans, and fiber. It is slightly less digestible than corn meal.

"2. It keeps well, will absorb large quantities of added water, has a slightly laxative effect, has proved a palatable and healthful food for dairy stock and satisfactory as a component of a grain ration for the production of milk. It can also probably be used with good results for fattening, and as a partial grain feed for horses.

"3. Because of its coarse mechanical condition it will serve as a dilutant for the heavier concentrates.

"4. It is rather inferior in nutritive effect to corn meal (probably 10 per cent).

"5. It was offered at \$22 to \$23 a ton at retail in Massachusetts during the winter of 1903-1904, as compared with corn meal at \$25 to \$26 a ton, and these figures express approximately the relative commercial value of the two feeds, based upon the nutritive material contained in them.

"6. The above opinions concerning the character and quality of the molasses-beet-pulp are based upon the supposition that the quality of the manufactured product remains unchanged."

Milwaukee News: Of course, it is gratifying that Uncle Ike has seen the errors of his ways and is bent upon making amends for the past. But as evidence of his conversion, those that are already saved will expect him to rise up from the mourners' bench and give his testimony and make a clean breast of it.

**CALLS ATTENTION TO THE SNAKES**

Snake Editor of The Recorder Should Ask Permission To Feed the Reptiles.

If the snake editor of the Recorder desires to confirm the snake story published in the Gazette Wednesday evening, the Milwaukee Sentinel, Milwaukee Free Press, Chicago Chronicle, and Chicago Tribune Thursday morning and the Evening Wisconsin and Milwaukee News last evening, he might walk up to the North-Western passenger depot any afternoon or evening and investigate for himself the dress suit case containing the snakes. Mr. Gleason, the representative of the North-Western road in Janesville, is anxious that someone should care for the snakes and if the Recorder snake editor desires to confirm the story and has a fellow feeling for the reptiles, Mr. Gleason would doubtless be glad to allow him to feed the snakes until they are claimed. Meanwhile they are in a window of the arch with the dress suit case tightly closed waiting an owner. A little investigation and not so free a use of the scissors might keep off the parents that seems to be approaching the aforesaid snake editor.

**WHY TRACE OUT RELATIONSHIP**

The Madison Journal Takes a Fall Out of the Grumblers on Cassady.

Disgruntled republicans who are complaining that Chief Justice Cassady sat in judgment during the hearing of the factional state fight might read with interest the following editorial from the Madison State Journal on the subject:

Will some stalwart paper point out, with logic or reason, why Judge Steecker, a member of the supreme court, should not sit in the factional republican case before that tribunal because he is a brother-in-law of Gov. La Follette, and by the same token attempt to justify the continuation on the bench during the trial of Chief Justice Cassady, who is in a brother-in-law of Ed. Coe, the latter a \$5,000 federal office-holder by the decree of Senator Spooner.—Vienna Censor.

That's nothing, Munson! Justice Dodge is related on his mother's side to a man in Milwaukee county who knows the Kronshage family, and in Justice Marshall's family used to be a hired girl who once worked for the man charged with having struck Billy Paterson. Justice Winslow has a brindle-colored cat that looked much like a cat owned by a game-warden in Burnett county; and everybody knows that Chief Justice Cassady once passed through Dunn county on a night train—right in A. H. Hall's neighborhood. Judge Steecker once went fishing with a man whose uncle on his mother's side—but what's the use? In these complicated days it would be difficult to find a man competent to be Judge who had no affiliations.

Even Munson himself started for the Spanish war and got as far as the photographer's gallery.

**GOLF CLUB KITCHEN IS TO BE CLOSED AFTER OCT. 1**

And Picnickers Thereafter Will Have to Provide Their Own Dishes.

The golf club kitchen will be closed after October 1. It has been decided by the committee that the intensive and appointments will be in much better condition next spring if this plan is pursued. Those holding picnics suppers next month will have to provide their own dishes.

**SICK AND DISOURAGED WOMEN, NU-TRI-OLA**

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Your blood goes through your body with jumps and bounds, carrying warmth and active life to every part. If you take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 25 cents, tea or tablets, Smith Drug Co.

**NU-TRI-OLA**

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Oriental Lodge, No. 22, of the Knights of Pythias, gave the first of its series of dancing parties last evening and it proved to be a delightful affair in every particular. Central hall was most tastefully decorated for the occasion with bouquets of autumn leaves and palms and Chairman W. A. Stevens of the arrangements committee received many compliments for his excellent work in this particular. Smith &amp; Knell's orchestra of five pieces including Geo. Hatch who used for the first time his new \$750 harp presided over the deathless of the dancers and discoursed the finest music that has been heard at similar festivities for many a day. Chairman Stevens was assisted in the arrangements by Thomas E. Welch, W. O. Newhouse, and R. H. Baldwin. The floor committee consisted of A. J. Harris, F. H. Jackman, M. O. Mowat, and B. M. Palmer.

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Cincinnati Commercial Tribune: An Indiana man has invented a picnic chair that can be carried in the hip pocket. No sales in Kentucky.

**IF PROSPECTIVE MOTHERS USE NU-TRI-OLA BABIES WILL BE PICTURES OF HEALTH.**

Buy it in Janesville.

**HOG CHOLERA IS CAUSING TROUBLE IN THE COUNTY**

Town of Rock Seems to Be Particularly Unfortunate in This Regard.

Hog cholera has again made its appearance on some of the farms in the town of Rock. Harry Brown of this city disposed of ninety head just in time as the disease appeared among the few remaining porkers on his farm a few days after the shipment.

Buy it in Janesville.

**Real Estate Transfers**Emil Thomy to Frank M. Markham \$1,000 w $\frac{1}{2}$  of sw $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 13 and other land \$23 Plymouth 375 acres.

Charles H. Slawson &amp; wife to Peter Jameson \$2500.00 lot 146 Pease's 2d Add Janesville.

Peter Jameson &amp; wife to Charles H. Slawson \$1400.00 lot 90 Mitchell's 3d Add Janesville.

Walter W. Dalton & wife to B. P. Irish \$6000.00 w $\frac{1}{2}$  of nw $\frac{1}{4}$  s21-2-14.Walter W. Dalton & wife to John Thescher \$6100.00 e $\frac{1}{4}$  of ne $\frac{1}{4}$  s20-2-14.William H. Butler & wife to R. L. Brockway \$3600.00 se $\frac{1}{4}$  of se $\frac{1}{4}$  s14-1-11 and other land 47 acres.

Belfoit Land &amp; Improvement Co. to C. P. Bors \$625.00 lot 18-19-8 Riverside Add Belfoit.

Ella D. Adams to LeBaum Adams \$10,000 lot 47&amp;15 Hackett's Add Belfoit.

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The girl with clever fingers can readily make for herself any number of the smart little bows, rosettes and such from the scraps of velvets and ribbons that accumulate in the bureau drawers. These are best made up wired at both edges; the milliner's wire runs in the shallow hem. This, is slipped down so that the stitches do not show on the other side. A straight length of velvet and ribbon can then be twisted into loops and ends and bent to the most becoming angle. The bow in the illustration is so fashioned and centered with a cut-steel buckle. The hair is dressed high, and around the knot on the crown of the head there passes a shaped piece, likewise in cut steel. Combs are not an accompaniment of such a coiffure.

**PRICE OF COTTON TAKES BIG JUMP**

YARN ADVANCED A CENT PER POUND IN A MONTH.

**SOUTHERN COMBINE MEETS**

Janesville Firm Independent. Advance in Price is Laid to Strong Market, by T. O. Howe.

Owing to the increased demand for cotton yarns, goods and batting in both domestic and foreign markets the price has taken a decided jump in the last month or so. Mr. T. O. Howe, of the Rock River Cotton company, said yesterday in speaking of the market: "The price of yarn has advanced fully a cent a pound in the last month. There was a jump in the market during July and the fore part of August, but as we were not running during this period in our batting department we are selling batting at the same price that we were when the fire occurred in July. The raise in price is due to the great demand for cotton for both home and export trade, and we are unable to turn out as much yarn and batting as we are able to sell. We are not in the combine but every point that cotton has raised in our selling price is due to the strong market at the present."

**Southern Combine.**

This combine referred to is an association of all the cotton manufacturers in the southern states. They held an important meeting in Charlotte, North Carolina, recently, and after being in session four hours unanimously decided to adopt a standard of hard yarns. A schedule was submitted and adopted, making a decided increase in the prices. An advisory committee was appointed to assist in carrying out the object of the meeting. The spinners entered into an agreement that each mill have one selling house that may be required to sign an agreement not to speculate in the product. All the spinners present, representing every important yarn mill in the south with a total of 477,499 spindles, signed the following iron-clad agreement on prices:

4-2 ply, 16-1-2c; 14-2, 16-1c, 21-2c; 8-2, 16-1c, 18-1-2c; 26-2, 21-1-2c; 30-2, 22-1-2c; 12-2, 17-3-4c; 40-2, 28-2, 22-2, 20-1-2c.

It was the sense of the manufacturers present that before a cut should be made in this schedule, every mill in the south would be shut down until prices were accepted. All big commission houses in New York had their representatives at the meeting. The radical action is expected to have an immediate and telling effect on the market.

**COMMITTEE TOLD TO BUY THE SITE**

Seems Now Definitely Assured That New Methodist Church Will Be Built on Franklin and Pleasant Sts.

At a meeting of the quarterly conference of the Central M. E. church last evening the purchasing committee consisting of Dr. F. T. Richardson, Dr. E. L. Loomis, and Mr. Benson, was instructed to buy a site for the new church edifice. An option had been secured on property having 132 feet frontage, both on Franklin and Pleasant streets. The property is at present owned by A. McDougal of this city and F. R. Burroll of Chicago. It is now occupied by two frame dwellings on Pleasant street belonging to the former, and a leaf tobacco warehouse on Franklin street belonging to the latter. The new edifice will be built next spring and will cost \$30,000. It is understood that the cost of the site will be in the neighborhood of \$10,000.

**ELGIN BUTTER MARKET.**Elgin, Sept. 26.—Elgin 20c, firm. New York 20 $\frac{1}{2}$  c, with no sales. The output for the Elgin district was 693,400 pounds.

Buy it in Janesville.

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**FOR SALE**—House and lot in Emerald Grove belonging to the James Phillips estate. Inquire of B. Smith, at First National Bank, Janesville.

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**Coming Attractions.**

Richard F. Outcault, the talented draughtsman, and the "New York Herald," have made Buster Brown a character that is known to almost everybody, and his innocent and well

ting into scrapes. But he is the absolute incarnation of boyish fun, and to such a one much is readily given. Most of us have already taken a Buster to our hearts and we shall be glad to welcome his counterpart presentment when he will step upon the stage of the Myers Grand.

Mr. Melville B. Raymond, the well known and successful manager, has secured the sole dramatic rights to this character and to his almost equally amusing shadow, the dog, Tig. What would Buster be without Tig? And Tig must be impersonated with absolute fidelity, so Mr. Raymond has secured a clever animal impersonator to play this "thinking" but extremely active part. He has given the comedy a gorgeous spectacular setting, which includes a large chorus and ballet and a bevy of "show girls" of surpassing loveliness, who have been costumed in the most sumptuous of up-to-date styles by Wanamaker. Other beautiful dresses have been made by Eaves and these include those of a bathing, ballet, illustrative of the styles worn at our different beaches. The musical features have received special attention and we are promised a chorus that can really sing. The cast contains the names of many well known and favorite players, among them Master Giovanni, Jack Bell, Frank Christie, Dan Williams, Bert Jordan, E. C. Elbertson, May Walsh, Caroline Kelly McCord, Nan Dodson, Amelia Baird and Rosa Crouch.

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**FRENCH SAILORS ARE BEATEN**

Party is Severely Trounced by Teamsters in New York.

New York, Sept. 30.—Four sailors and the ship steward of the French cruiser *Triude*, now lying at anchor in the North river, were assaulted on Thirty-fourth street by a gang of seven or eight teamsters and truckmen. One of the sailors received a severe scalp wound and another's right cheek was laid open and his nose was broken. The others' eyes were blackened and their faces were bruised. It is said that the facts will be laid before the French consul at this port by Capt. Aubrey of the *Triude*.

**ENTIRE SCHOOL IS POISONED**

Racine Officials Investigate Illness of 180 Students and Ten Teachers.

Racine, Wis., Sept. 30.—Much alarm was caused at the Racine college grammar school because of the sudden illness of 180 students and ten teachers. It appears that at the evening meal chicken was served and it is believed the dish contained poison, as half an hour after the meal and while the students were in classroom nearly all of them were taken ill. An investigation is being made by the warden of the school as to the cause of the sickness.

**BUFFALO ALDERMEN GIVE BAIL**

Indicted Men Plead Not Guilty to Charges of Grafting.

Buffalo, Sept. 30.—Aldermen Harp, Moest and Pierce and former Aldermen Roedel, Schneider, Behren and Busch were arraigned in the Supreme Court to plead to indictments charging them with soliciting and accepting bribes. All pleaded not guilty and were released on \$1,500 bail each. The present grand jury will not report any more graft indictments. Mayor Knight has suspended the three indicted aldermen from office.

**Would Sell His Daughter.**

New York, Sept. 30.—Anna Musk, 15 years old, dashed into the Fifth Avenue police station and cried in tones of the deepest terror: "I ran away from home because my father was trying to sell me in marriage to a frenzied man who works on an ocean liner."

**Denounce Slocum Report.**

New York, Sept. 30.—Survivors of the wreck of the Gen. Slocum and those who were bereaved by the horror to the number of more than 300 men at Schuetzen hall to protest against the decision rendered by the local steamboat inspectors.

**Blind Slayers Are Released.**

Kewanee, Ill., Sept. 30.—Henry Gould and James Brennen, the aged blind men, who assaulted and killed Thomas Commerall at Neponset, thinking him a burglar, have been released.

**Falls Into Acid Vat.**

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30.—John B. McDonald, fireman, fell into a vat of caustic acid while on duty and was dangerously burned.

**May Settle Labor Trouble.**

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 30.—A conference of manufacturers and labor leaders in the cotton mill strike is likely to be arranged.

**Sells Big Lot of Lumber.**

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 30.—A Duluth lumber company has sold 10,000,000 feet of Norway pine to be shipped to Chicago.

**Labor Organizations.**

Janesville Assembly of Equitable Union, No. 174, meets the 1st and 3d Mondays of each month at the Caledonian hall, Carle block.

**Joiners, Paperhangers & Decorators**

Union, 1st and 3d Mondays. Journeyman Tailors' Union, 2d Monday.

**Painters.**

Painters' Union, 1st and 3d Tuesdays.

**Leather Workers.**

Brewers' Union, 1st and 3d Tuesday.

**Waiters.**

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**Miners.**

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For Assemblyman, 1st District—

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For Assemblyman, 2d District—

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For Assemblyman, 3d District—

W. O. HANSON.

## COUNTY TICKET

For Sheriff—WALLACE COCHRANE.

For Treasurer—OLIVE P. SMITH.

For County Clerk—HOWARD LEE.

For Register of Deeds—

CHAS. WEIRICK.

For Dist. Atty.—

WILLIAM O. NEWHOUSE.

For Clerk of Court—

WARD STEVENS.

## VERDICT OF THE PARTY

From the report of the Committee on Credentials to the REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION, which was unanimously adopted by that convention, June 25, 1904.

Your committee report it to be their

final judgment that the convention which

elected said John G. Spooner, J. V.

Quarles, J. W. Babcock and Emil

Braun as delegates at large, and their

alternates at large, to this con-

vention from the state of Wisconsin

WAS THE REGULAR CONVENTION

OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN

WISCONSIN, and that the delegates

elected by it are the regular elected

delegates at large from the state of

Wisconsin to the republican convention,

and, as such, are entitled to seats in

this convention.

## THE PRICE.

The Wall street Journal thus clearly

illustrates how stocks are manipu-

lated at the great money centers:

A butter merchant bought two firkins

of butter from a farmer. The but-

ter was all of the same quality, made

by the same hands, from the same

milk. But the merchant displayed

the two firkins for sale, putting

over one the sign "30 cents a pound,"

and over the other "50 cents a

pound." Soon after a woman entered

and asked the price of butter.

"I have some here," said the mer-

chant, "of excellent quality for 30

cents a pound."

"But," replied the woman, "I see

you have some for 50 cents a pound.

I always buy the best. Give me a

pound of that."

And the merchant who had paid

only 20 cents a pound for the butter,

pocketed with a chuckle of delight

the 30 cents profit which he had ob-

tained for butter that he had been

willing to sell for ten cents profit.

This is no fable. It is a true

story, and it illustrates a great truth.

The price has become a certificate

of quality. If a high price is attached

to an article, it is regarded as

evidence of its superiority. The but-

ter merchant in putting a 50-cent

price on 30-cent butter robbed his

customers. He lied just as much as

if he had actually said to them that

this butter is much better than the

other, when in fact both are of the

same quality.

In Wall street there is a constant

effort made by market manipulation

to put a 50-cent price on the 30-

cent article, and there can be no

doubt that it is dishonest. An an-

cient philosopher once said that the

value of a thing depended on what

another man is willing to pay for

it, and in a sense this is economical-

ly true. But practically the selling

of an article for high price may be

dishonest even if there are not mere-

ly one, but hundreds of persons, eng-

aged to pay that price for it.

A new issue of securities is to be

marketed, or some one has a big

block of an old issue that he wishes

to get rid of. A skillful manipu-

lator is employed, who proceeds to

make a market for it. He uses this

method and that, and by "wash

sales" or "clever advertising," an

astute exploitation he succeeds in es-

tablishing a quotation for the se-

curity that invites attention. The in-

vestor says to himself: "That stock

is advancing; it is selling above par.

It must be a good thing. I will buy it is remedied in time, it will lead to

endless expense and annoyance.

The quotation has thus been a recommendation of quality. The investor has been victimized as much as the woman was in paying 50 cents for 30-cent butter. It is true that the seller did not drag the buyer into the market and, force him to purchase. It is true that the investor ought to have tested the value of the security, just as the woman ought to have tested the quality of the butter. But testing requires expert knowledge, and the majority of people are guided in their judgments by the price.

It cannot be doubted that the reputation of Wall street has from time to time suffered severely by reason of its manipulation of prices. Of course in the long run the stock market accurately measures true value. Manipulation after all is temporary. It is powerless to establish an enduring price. But during the time that its power is effective it inflicts many losses on innocent investors.

The only remedy for this is publicity. There is nothing which the manipulator dreads more than the fearless, independent organ of publicity. He strives hard to control it, and failing in that, he tries to deceive it, and thus the public which it serves.

Wall street should deal sternly with all who display the 50-cent sign above the 30-cent article. There is no place in the world where the adage, "Honesty is the best policy," will pay better, and where publicity would achieve more, than in Wall street. A big western merchant has this for his motto:

"Under no possible circumstances will this house sanction any word or deed of any employee designed to mislead a purchaser."

That would be a good sign to hang out in Wall street—and live up to.

## SENATOR QUARLES AT KENOSHA.

Senator Quarles addressed a large and representative republican audience at Kenosha last Wednesday night, and after discussing national issues for an hour, he took up state affairs, and in a fair and unimpassioned manner told some truths that furnished food for thought.

Senator Quarles has been a republican all his life, and has been prominently identified with the party in the state for more than a quarter of a century. He is thoroughly familiar with the history of the party, and when he stated that Governor La Follette had no patent on his reform measures, he stated a fact.

The senator referred to his own record in the state legislature 25 years ago, when he advocated equal taxation and about every other measure for which the governor is contending, but the primary law.

He did not hesitate to declare that La Follette, in his mad ambition for office, had adopted methods which were not only disloyal, but which estranged him from the party, and that he had no claim on the party for support.

In advocating the support of Cook for governor, in advance of the supreme court decision, the senator takes it for granted that the republican party will have a state ticket in the field, whatever may be the decision.

Mr. Jeffries takes the same position, and as the governor has already declared his intention of staying in the race regardless of decisions or consequences, it is safe to assume that the three-cornered fight will be continued until settled at the polls.

Conditions have passed the stage of argument, and the bitterness of feeling which prevailed throughout the state has no parallel in the history of any northern state. It is idle to discuss responsibility for these conditions. They are not the result of a single campaign but are the culmination of errors which reach back for years in the history of the party.

The men who support the governor are enthusiastic and many of them sincere. The men who oppose him are honest in their conviction and determined in effort. It will be left for the court of public opinion to decide in November, and whatever that verdict may be the minority must be satisfied.

## THE SEWERAGE QUESTION.

The people have discussed the question of sewerage for so many years, and now that the preliminary work is at hand, it is perfectly natural that much interest should be manifested and many questions asked.

It is very evident from the small amount of work already accomplished that a long and tedious session will follow and that much money will be needed for the investment.

While it is not at all surprising that some people are worried, and others amazed, it is well to remember that the improvement has been long needed and that it will contribute to the value of property as well as the welfare of the city for all time to come.

As the work progresses there is some criticism offered which appears to be just, and to which the city can afford to give some attention. For instance the mains running into the residence district on the hill are only 8-inch mains. The complaint is made that these are too small, and that in less than five years they will need to be replaced by 12 or 15-inch mains.

The Gazette has it from the authority of men who know from experience that this is likely to be the case. Somebody has evidently made a mistake in the planning, and unless

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If you want good oranges, grapes, celery, cauliflower or, in fact, almost anything, the market affords, telephone or call and we will supply you.

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## SEEDS IN THE YARD STRINGS

Planted by the String—Many Modern  
Helps to the Farmers of  
Today.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—When we were on the farm we bought garden-seeds by the package or by the quart. But the twentieth century gardener and farmer is going to buy them by the yard and instead of laboriously dropping them in hills or sowing them in rows he will reel off a string of them from a wheel and simply plant the string. When John was let into this secret of advanced scientific agriculture by the polite and loquacious inventor of the process he merely murmured, "You're stringing me."

But there were the strings of seeds and there were boxes with tiny plants growing in them from the needed strings. Like everything else at this great exposition the demonstration left nothing for the imagination. The whole process was shown. The seeds are twisted within a ribbon of tissue paper and rolled up or little reels holding about sixty feet. As usual, the most interesting feature of the exhibit is the mechanism by which the product is turned out. In this case the machine is a marvel of ingenuity. On one side is a reel of narrow tissue paper ribbon, resembling that of a stock-ticker. As it unrolls it passes over a wheel that is set with little projecting steel pins. These dip into liquid glue as the wheel revolves and make little dots at intervals upon the passing paper. To these moist dots the radish seed, or turnip seed, or any kind of seed that is desired adheres, the spaces between the dots being determined by the kind of seed that is to be planted. The machine then folds the strip of paper over to enclose the seeds, twists it into a string and winds it upon a pasteboard reel. To plant the string there is a little long-handled wheel which the gardener pushes up and down his garden and which unrolls the string laying it in a furrow and covering it with a thin smooth layer of dirt. It is easy to see that the wind can blow these seeds away while you are sowing them and they are also safe from marauding birds.

Everything in this palace of agriculture is calculated to impress one with the fact that the life of the future farmer is to be a life of ease. If he doesn't operate the entire farm with electric push-buttons he will at least be able to bring forth bountiful crops without the exposure and the expenditure of physical energy incident to farming in the early days. Here is an automatic time-saver for horses which enables a farmer to lie in bed as long as he wants to in the morning. At a certain hour a clock unlatches a latch and a ration of grain runs down from a hopper in front of each horse. While the stock is being automatically fed the farmer may read his morning newspaper delivered at his door by the rural mail carrier.

Everything on the farm is to be done by machinery except the household work of the farmer's wife. I see no mechanism that will enable her to cook the meals and operate the household machinery by pushing electric buttons. And yet some of her work has been lightened and simplified. Here are machines for separating cream from the milk and butter from the cream. The farmer's wife doesn't have to wait for cream to rise to the surface and then "churn" the butter out of it by a laborious process. The reason house-hold work is not a push-button affair and a life of ease John says is because men have had nothing to do with it. And the farmer no longer walks. He rides. Everything seems to have wheels on it. There are manure-spreaders, corn-planters, hay-loaders and stackers, drills, pea-pickers, potato diggers, great steam plows, wind-pumps, self-blinders, all tending to make farming a delightful pastime.

And in addition to it all the greatest display of fancy, highly bred live stock ever brought together in the world. In the live stock pavilion we saw what seemed to be an endless procession of prize-winning Herefords, Jerseys, Guernseys, Polled Durhams, Holsteins, Aberdeen Angus, Ayrshires and other fancy breeds of cattle. Some of the prize-winners were literally covered with ribbons, trophies of past conquests. And yet I doubt if any one thinks of a great live stock show, the greatest ever held, in connection with the world's fair.

T. A. D.

## EYE NEARLY PUT OUT BY A PIECE OF IRON

Nine-year-old Leo Ford Receives Bad  
Cut While Playing at  
School.

While playing at the Jefferson school this morning nine-year-old Leo Ford nearly lost his right eye. He was swinging on a rope which broke and in the fall he struck a protruding piece of iron cutting a gash under the right eye an inch and a half long. He was taken to the office of Dr. Merritt and in dressing the wound it was found the flesh was laid open to the eye-ball and had the iron gone a bit farther removal of the eye would have been necessary. Leo Ford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ford who reside on Racine street.

Mary Ott

The funeral of Mary Ott aged three months was held from the home of her parents on North Bluff street this morning at nine o'clock. The Reverend Father Goebel officiated and the interment was in Oak Hill cemetery.

We are offering exceptionally good values in new fall dress goods at 50c, \$1, \$1.25, and \$1.50. T. P. Burns.

## NORMALS WILL HAVE TO PLAY TOMORROW

To Duplicate Last Week's "Narrow  
Football Victory—Home Team  
Greatly Strengthened.

Saturday's game with the Whitehorns normal to be played at Athletic park in this city should attract a large crowd of spectators. That it will be nip and tuck and a close victory for either team is assured. The game last Saturday was never the normal's until the last whistle blew and this week the high school boys have been training with determination to put up a contest that will surprise the visitors tomorrow. There have been two teams on the field and Coach Bartlett has gotten some new material out to fill in the weak places. The high school's ends and back field are conceded to be as good, if not better, than the normal's, and the line has been much strengthened during the last few days. Practice last night was held at athletic field, and the boys are out there again this evening. Dr. G. B. Thuerer will umpire the game.

The team will line-up as follows: fb, D. Wright; rh, Caldwell; lb, Bennett; qb, Galbraith; le, J. Ryan; lt, Carle; lg, F. Ryan; c, W. Soltz; rt, H. Lee; rt, Mahoney; and re, Feeley.

## SECRETARY SHAW CHANGES LABELS

Domestic Trade to Be Protected by  
Placing the Stamp Out of Sight, the  
Color Being Made Less Conspicuous.

John McNally of Harmony, Weds  
Katherine Malone of Johnstown—  
Olsen-Rasmussen Nuptials.

John McNally of Harmony and  
Miss Katherine Malone of Johnstown  
were wedded at St. Patrick's church in  
Whitewater on Wednesday by Father  
Pierce of Milwaukee, a cousin of  
the bride. They are now on a  
honeymoon trip to Chicago and Ra-  
ene and will reside in the town of  
Harmony after their return. The  
bride is a daughter of John Malone of  
Johnstown and both the contracting  
parties are well and favorably known  
in the county.

Olsen-Rasmussen

Carl Olsen who came to Janesville  
three months ago from Copenhagen,  
Denmark, to work in the beet-sugar  
factory and Bertha Rasmussen of the  
same foreign city who has been in  
this country but a week, were mar-  
ried by Rev. Kyte of Orfordville at  
the home of P. Hammerlund, 15 Dix-  
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the contracting parties can understand  
a word of English. All the  
same, best wishes are extended.

## ATHLETIC PARK BEING PREPARED

For Tomorrow's Game—No Grand-  
stand; Seats for Spectators, Mon-  
ey or No Money.

On account of the football game to-  
morrow the necessary repairs were  
made on Athletic park this morning.  
The grandstand which was torn half  
down last summer was left in the  
same shape, because the spectators  
at the games never use the seats.  
The fence was replaced where it was  
down and the horse gate repaired.  
No goal posts have as yet been put up  
nor has the field been marked out, but  
this work will be done tomorrow

### THE WEATHER.

Temperature last 24 hours taken  
from U. S. registered thermometer at  
Helmetree's drugstore: highest,  
68 above; lowest, 50 above; ther, at  
7 a. m., 53; at 7 p. m., 67; wind,  
northwest; cloudy.

### FUTURE EVENTS

Whitemarsh Normal football team  
plays Janesville High school at Ath-  
letic park Saturday afternoon, Oct. 1.  
"Buster Brown" at Myers theatre  
Friday evening, Sept. 30.

### BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

200 baskets grapes received to-  
morrow morning, 17c. Winslow's.

For finest meats "Talk to Lowell,"  
Ladies' hand bags, latest shapes;  
just received at Sutherlands'.

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Bargains in shoes, Talk to Lowell;

200 grapes, 17c bsk. Winslow's.

For sale—Sweet corn folder, P.  
Hohenadel, Jr., Co.

200 grapes, 17c bsk. Winslow's.

\$3.50 shoes at \$2.95 at Rehberg's.

In this issue is an interesting an-  
nouncement of great shoe bargains  
at Amos Rehberg & Co's.

We are showing a new line of fine

table damask in bleached and un-  
bleached at prices that cannot fail to  
attract attention. T. P. Burns.

Dance, dance, dance at Assembly  
hall tomorrow evening.

Do not fail to read Amos Rehberg  
& Co's short announcement in today's  
paper.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the B. of  
R. T. enjoyed a very pleasant card  
party at their hall last evening.

Wall-paper bargains, J. Sutherland  
& Sons.

The Philanthropic club will meet  
with Mrs. E. D. Roberts at the Rob-  
erts flats, on Court street, Saturday  
afternoon, October 1st, at three  
o'clock for the annual business meet-  
ing.

New York quince, Nash.

200 grapes, 17c bsk. Winslow's.

Special showing of millinery,  
cloaks, suits and furs for the balance  
of the week at Archie Reid's.

Boys' special school shoes, \$1 and  
\$1.25. Amos Rehberg & Co.

Remnant Sale  
It'll be a whale of a sale.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

Bulls in Hospital.

Two bulls escaped from the arena  
at Valladolid, Spain, and made their  
way into a hospital, where they upset  
several beds on which patients were

lying, and gored three persons.

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Transmssissippi Congress Oct. 25.

Portland, Oregon, Sept. 30.—The of-  
ficial call for the fifteenth session of

the transmssissippi commercial con-  
gress, to meet at St. Louis Oct. 25 to

29, has been issued by Tom Richard-  
son, chairman of the executive com-  
mittee.

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## THEME OF DRAMAS TRUE TO STAGE LIFE

Wife Sues for Divorce From Husband  
Who Has Other Sweethearts—  
Have Played Here.

Those who saw Mable Trumbull recently in the comedy of "The Irish Pawnbrokers," will be interested in the announcement that her brother Ollie Mack Trumbull, known on the stage as Ollie Mack, now playing in "An English Daisy," has been sued for divorce by his wife, Katherine Trumbull, an actress known on the stage as Kitty Beck. She has applied to Judge Gildersleeve in New York for \$100 per week alimony and \$1,000 counsel fees, pending her suit for absolute divorce.

In the complaint the wife names several correspondents among them being Estelle West, Nellie Sylvester, and a woman named Gertrude, employed at shooting the chutes." She says her husband has an income of \$700 per week. Trumbull denies every allegation.

"Ollie Mack" Trumbull, the defendant, in the case is part owner of the play of "The Irish Pawnbrokers," being associated with Joe W. Spears, husband of Mable Trumbull.

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Rehberg

Amos Rehberg & Co's short announce-  
ment in today's paper.

The change brought forth a great  
cry from the importers, who claimed  
that the government was injuring  
their business to an unwarranted ex-  
tent. Secretary Shaw, while declin-  
ing to make public the new order,  
gave out a statement concerning the  
case.

"The testimony establishes the  
fact," he said, "that the present stamp  
is used as a trademark by the clear  
importers; that this trademark is val-  
uable to them and confers an advan-  
tage upon them as against the manu-  
facturers of cigars in the United  
States, and that cigars are, in effect,  
the only commodity imported into the  
United States that receives the bene-  
fit of such a trademark."

Stamp Gives Advantage.

"In view of the fact that this gov-  
ernment stamp, in its present form,  
undoubtedly gives a pecuniary advan-  
tage to those using it, it seems that  
the order already issued by the depart-  
ment is, in its essence, proper. The  
government's business is to collect the  
revenue and to provide so far as pos-  
sible against fraud, but it is not the  
government's business to furnish a  
guaranty in the form of a trade-mark  
for the benefit of the goods. This  
should be left in the tobacco business  
as it is in all other business."

Herbert Allen who represents the  
Parker Pen Co. has been assigned

to the territory of Nebraska and Da-  
kota. Mrs. Allen and children will  
leave in the course of several weeks  
to spend the winter months in Om-  
aha. It was erroneously reported in  
these columns that she would make  
her future residence there.

Mrs. William W. Watt is entertain-  
ing this afternoon.

CURRENT NEWS NOTES.

Pleasant Surprise: Mr. Funk, who  
very recently removed to his new  
and handsome house on Western av-  
enue, was pleasantly surprised last  
evening by about fifty of his friends.  
The occasion was Mr. Funk's fifty-  
ninth birthday anniversary. During  
the evening a delightful musical pro-  
gram was disclosed, both vocal and  
instrumental. Mr. Funk was pre-  
sented with several beautiful and  
useful presents as a token of the es-  
teem in which he is held.

Marriage Licenses have been issued

to Albert Werth of Jefferson and  
Marguerite McQuillan of Milton Junc-  
tion, and to Leonard Cook of Mil-  
waukee and Caroline Liston of Or-  
fordville.

Surprise for Burr Toles: Thurs-  
day evening a large party of Old  
Fellows and Reheleahs invaded the  
suburban home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Burr W. Toles and informed their  
host that they had come to help cele-  
brate his birthday anniversary. The  
guests were soon busy at the card  
tables where merry and enjoy-  
able was spent. The invaders  
had come laden with their lunch  
bags and later in the evening a de-  
lightful repast was served. Good  
night was said at a late hour and the  
guests departed wishing their host  
many happy returns of the day.

The Steed Balked: Just at noon  
today a horse driven by George Gow-  
den crossed his front legs and settled  
down on the Milwaukee street bridge  
street car tracks to await a coming  
car. The driver and a companion got  
out and pushed the animal off the  
tracks by main force. No amount of  
urging, however, could persuade him  
to move of his own volition. Finally  
a bystander lifted up one of the front  
hoofs, tapped it with a stone, thereby  
getting the horse's "thoughts" away  
from the obstinate whim that pos-  
sessed them, and the beast moved  
forward again. The animal's break-  
was raw and sore from the chafing  
of the harness and after seeing this  
the sympathy of bystanders was all  
with the horse.

Mystic Workers Entertain: After  
the regular meeting of the Mystic  
Workers next Tuesday night there  
will be an entertainment for the  
members and their families. All are  
invited.

Back at His Post: County Clerk  
Frank Starr resumed his duties at  
the court-house yesterday after a protracted illness incident to an operation.

Marriage License: A marriage li-  
cense was issued today to Richard W.

Blakey of Shawnee Pottawatomie  
County, Oklahoma, and Miss Jean S.

White of Porter.

## COUNTY NEWS

MILTON, Sept. 30.—Rev. M. B. Kelly and family left this village Friday for their future home at North Lomp, Neb. They have made many friends here who regret their departure from Milton and all unite in wishing them health and prosperity for the future.

Rev. A. Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Richardson, of this village, has been appointed to a new pastorate by the bishop of the California conference, at a salary of \$1,200. He is a Milton college graduate, class of '96.

Rev. A. Bergmann attended the Lutheran conference at Jefferson this week.

Fred Palmter and wife, of Albion, were Milton visitors this week.

A. M. Van Horn has bought the K. Senart house and lot.

James Davis and daughter left Thursday for the St. Louis exposition.

Wm. Kuhn and family returned from a visit at Marshfield Thursday.

Mrs. O. D. Crumb is visiting at Berlin.

The friends of Rev. M. B. Kelley and wife from Milton Junction, Rock River and this village attended a reception given them at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hull Thursday evening. Refreshments were served and the affair was an enjoyable one for all concerned.

John Furrow expects to spend the winter in California.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan, of Hancock, is visiting Milton relatives.

Geo. R. Ross and wife have been visiting Chicago friends this week.

Only one fuse burned out on the local telephone during the recent electrical storm.

Mr. W. W. Clarke went to Chicago Thursday and expects to spend several weeks in that city.

Jonas C. Partridge died Thursday morning of heart disease. He was as well as usual the day before and was taken sick in the night. Dr. Bennewies was called in the morning but found him dead when he reached the house.

Rev. E. D. Farnham, of Beaver Dam, visited old friends in Milton Friday.

Recent donations to Milton college include a fine desk for the "Polly Goodrich" room and six handsome arm chairs for the library from Miss Hannah A. Babcock, of New York, and six chairs for the "Greenman" room from J. J. Dennett.

Too much "wetness" prevents corn and potatoes from maturing.

SHOPIERE.

Shopiere, Sept. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Merriman, of Brinkley, Ark., arrived here last Saturday. Mr. Merriman formerly lived in Clinton, but they intend to make their home in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl buried their little daughter on last Sunday afternoon. Many friends tendered their sympathy to the bereaved family.

Dr. Manley and Dr. Clark attended the banquet at the Hilton hotel, given on Thursday evening.

Myrtle Crottsberg died at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Van Gilder, on Tuesday. The funeral was held at the Methodist church on Thursday afternoon.

Little Wallace Uehling is quite ill at present writing. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Nelle Speier entertained a lady cousin from Boston over Sunday.

Miss Frances Buck was called to Dakota by the serious illness of her brother's family.

Mrs. Laura Brown returned on Monday from Sycamore, Ill., where her son Roy resides.

Mrs. Frank Culver and Mrs. John Black spent a week in Racine with relatives.

CLINTON.

Clinton, Sept. 29.—During the electric storm of Sunday evening Mr. Van Horn's house was struck by

**Tainted Blood**

Columbus, Ohio, May 19, 1903.

Some four years ago I was suffering from impure blood and a general run-down condition of the system. I had no appetite, was losing flesh, and had an all-gone tired feeling that made me miserable. I began the use of S. S. S., and after taking seven or eight bottles my skin was cleared of all eruptions and took on a ruddy, healthy glow that assured me that my blood had been restored to its normal, healthy condition. My appetite was restored, as I could eat anything put before me, and as I regained my appetite I increased in weight, and that "tired feeling" which worried me so much disappeared, and I was once again my old self.

I heartily recommend S. S. S. as the best blood purifier and tonic made, and strongly advise its use to all those in need of such medicine. Victor Strumans, Cor. Barthman and Washington Ave.,

Wheeling, W. Va., May 28, 1903.

My system was run down and my joints ached and pained me considerably. I had used S. S. S. before and knew what it was, so I purchased a bottle of it and have taken several bottles and the aches and pains are gone, my blood has been cleared and my general health built up. I can testify to it as a blood purifier and tonic.

1533 Market St. JOHN C. STEIN.

If you have any symptoms of disordered blood write us and our physician will advise you free.

Our book on blood and skin diseases sent free.

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

Choir practice will be held at Mr. E. Raymond's next Saturday evening.

## PORTER.

Porter, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Wm. Bass, of Elmwood Grove, is spending a week with her son Frank and family. Willie Tierman is attending school in Janesville.

Kittle Dooley has been quite ill but is able to attend school again.

Mr. A. Hubbell does not improve as fast as his friends would wish him to.

N. A. Pond, of Janesville, was out on Saturday.

W. Mosher's family returned from the world's fair Sunday.

Everyone is enjoying the fine weather.

## UNION.

Union, Sept. 29.—Farmers in this vicinity are quite discouraged over corn cutting on account of the rain.

Will Becker spent Sunday in Madison.

Adam Apfel has completed his new barn.

Frank and Attie Frost are attending school at Madison.

Floyd Bennay is laid up with a fractured arm.

Dr. Brigham's house is occupied by a young married man, who is working for Leslie Davis.

Carl Brunzell bought a nice bunch of lambs to feed Elmer Ross.

## Read These Reasons

A correspondent of the Gazette handed to the editor a paper containing objections to the primary election law as follows:

"Because the voters cannot have personal knowledge of the comparative fitness of candidates with whom they are not acquainted and are in danger of voting for persons who are unworthy of trust and who would not, if known, command their confidence and support.

Because the system necessarily keeps out of office everybody but office seekers, and tends to swell the number of that class.

Because the expense of making a canvass to secure a nomination is a practical burthen to the poor man, because it gives the rich an advantage over the poor.

Because it authorizes nominations by minorities which, in case of a large number of candidates for one office, may be only a small fraction of the voters.

Because it subjects the people to the annoyance and burden of two campaigns instead of one.

Because it secures to men in office a manifest advantage over new men and prevents rotation.

Because it takes from the people the right to draft their own platforms and confess that power on candidates, which is putting the cart before the horse. The people should never surrender the authority to make their own platforms and require the candidates to stand on them and carry them out.

Because the abrogation of the state convention means the disintegration and disruption of party organization.

Because it enables men who could not get a home endorsement to seek office with the same prospect of success as men in good standing, if they have the money to place their workers in the field.

Because it legalizes and sanctions office seeking and tends to increase the army of candidates, already much too large.

Because it practically shuts out busy men and business men who cannot and will not spend the time and money to secure nominations.

Because a system that makes nominations expensive tends directly to demoralize and graft.

Because it lowers the standard of citizenship when its nominations can be secured by the free use of money in hiring workers to circulate petitions and peddle tickets and in subsidizing mercenary newspapers.

Because it is the absurd and garrulous use of an agency which has undoubtedly merit, on the same principle as giving the ballot to men, women, and children because it is a good thing."

Excursion Tickets to County Fair at Beaver Dam, Wis.

Afton, Sept. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Zundt, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and W. H. Barringer, of Marshalltown, Iowa, have been visiting their cousin Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oakley, the past week.

Mrs. Besie McCrea spent Friday and Saturday of last week visiting relatives here before departing for her home in Chicago.

Joseph Humphrey went to Chicago Wednesday evening with a car of stock for the market.

The Loyal Americans held their next meeting Oct. 6. At the last meeting ten members were initiated and good prospects for as many more at next meeting.

Andrew Olsen was a business caller in Janesville Thursday.

Contractors Walkers and Jones are working on the new road in the Sennett district these days.

Mr. E. Brinkman and family, of Willowdale, spent Thursday afternoon and evening at his brother's, Wm. Brinkman, here.

## EAST PORTER.

East Porter, Sept. 30.—The farmers are very thankful for every warm day now, as the corn is maturing very slowly and needs considerable warm weather yet.

Rev. T. J. Van Horn preached one of his good sermons at Fulton last Sunday. The storm prevented having services in the evening.

Grandma Saxby is still in Janesville.

Elliott Shaw, in company with his cousin from Minnesota, has gone to St. Louis to attend the fair.

Clinton Pomeroy spent a couple of days the fore part of the week with Harold Saxby.

The Senior Christian Endeavor society of Fulton held a business meeting last Saturday afternoon. After the meeting they sat down to a bountiful picnic supper which was very much enjoyed by all.

Rev. T. J. Van Horn was entertained at the Gardiner home last Sunday.

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## NU-TRI-OLA

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# The Yellow Holly

By FERGUS HUME,  
Author of "The Mystery of a  
Hansom Cab," Etc.

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It was of no great size, with one window, which looked out on to the square. This was locked, and, even if it had not been, no one could have climbed in, as Quex saw that the area was below. "And madame chained the area gate every night with her own hands," explained Miss Bull, who was watching him.

The inspector turned suddenly toward her. "It seems to me that the deceased was overcautious. Was she afraid?"

"I think she was," admitted Miss Bull. "She had a habit of looking over her shoulder and, as I have stated, was particular as to bolts and bars. But she was a secretive woman and never said anything to me about her fears, if she had any."

Madame was still in the black silk dress which she wore on the previous night. Seated at the round center table, she had evidently been struck from behind and killed before she had time to cry out. Her arms were on the table and her head had fallen forward. The furniture of the room was not in disorder; the red tablecloth was not even ruffled. The murderer had been committed without haste or noise, as Quex pointed out to Miss Bull.

"Whosoever murdered her must have been a friend," said he.

"It doesn't seem a friendly act to kill a defenseless woman," said Miss Bull, looking coldly on the limp figure.

"You don't quite understand. What I mean is that Mrs. Jersey knew the person who killed her."

Miss Bull shook her head. "I don't agree with you," she observed, and Quex was astonished that she should dare to contradict. "She was struck from behind before she had time to turn her head."

"Quite so. But the assassin must have entered the room, and unless the deceased was deaf—"

"Madame had particularly sharp ears."

"Then that makes it all the more certain. Had any one unexpected entered she would have been on the alert; there would have been a struggle. Now, we see that the furniture is not disturbed; therefore we can argue from this that Mrs. Jersey was in friendly conversation with the assassin. She was seated at the table and the assassin was at her back, which shows a certain amount of trust. In fact, Miss Bull, the person who committed this murder was the last person Mrs. Jersey expected to hurt in any way."

"I understand. But I don't fancy that madame had any friends. She was a woman who kept very much to herself."

"Do you know anything of her past?"

"Absolutely nothing. She took this house some fourteen or fifteen years ago, I believe. I have been here ten and was very comfortable, save that madame and I disagreed on many points. She was always rude to me, and I don't think she was a lady." Miss Bull drew herself up. "My father was a general," she declared proudly.

But Quex was too busy examining the room to attend to Miss Bull's family history. He searched for the weapon with which the crime had been committed, but could find none. There was no blood on the furniture, although some had trickled down from the wound on to the tablecloth. The blow must have been struck strongly and surely and with the power of a deadly hatred. It was at this moment that the doctor arrived, and, turning the body over to him, Quex conducted Miss Bull back to the drawing room, where he examined all who were in the house.

The first witness examined was Margery, and she refused to open her mouth unless she sat by Miss Bull. The old maid held Margery's hand and coaxed her into answering; when she proved recalcitrant, Quex could not but admire the way in which Miss Bull managed the lumpish creature.

"You left the drawing room with this lady?" he asked, indicating Miss Bull and speaking in a persuasive tone. "Yes. We played 'patience' in Miss Bull's bedroom."

"At what time did you leave?"

"About 11—just before it."

"Did the clock strike the hour when you were in your own bedroom?"

"No," said Margery, trying to collect her wits, "when I was in the passage."

"What were you doing in the passage? It would only take you a few minutes to get to your room, would it not?"

"Yes," put in Miss Bull. "My bed-room is on the second floor, and Margery's is on the fourth, right above my head. You could easily have got to your room before the clock struck, Margery."

"I did try to," admitted the girl, "but my aunt kept me talking."

Quex sat up. "Did you speak to your aunt at that hour?"

"Yes. She met me walking up to my room and scolded me for being out of bed at that hour. I said I had been with Miss Bull, and my aunt said that every one was in bed but me, and that she would not have it. The clock struck 11, and she called me names. She then took me by the arm and pushed me into my room and locked the door. Yes, she did," nodded Margery vindictively; "she locked the door."

"Why did she do that?" asked Quex.

"I don't know. I wasn't doing anything," grumbled Margery; "but she said she wouldn't have me wandering about the house at all hours of the night and locked me in. I couldn't get

out this morning till Miss Bull let me out."

"Margery usually brings me my cup of tea," explained Miss Bull, "and as she did not come this morning as usual I was anxious. When the alarm came I went to look for Margery in her room. The key was in the door, but the door was locked. I released Margery."

"The visitor might have killed her and then have closed the door himself."

"Himself? How do you know the visitor was a man? It might have been a woman. Besides, Miss Bull told me that the door was locked as usual, and that she took the key this morning to open it from Mrs. Jersey's pocket. No, Train, the person who killed Mrs. Jersey is in the house. But were you I should say as little as possible to the inspector about this?"

Leonard took this advice and when questioned simply stated that he had retired to bed at 11 and had heard nothing. Brendon made a similar statement, and Quex saw no reason to doubt their evidence.

He questioned all the boarders and all the servants, but could learn nothing likely to throw any light on the darkness which concealed the crime. No one had heard a noise in the night, no one had heard a scream, and it was conclusively proved that every one in the house was in bed by 11 o'clock, the majority, indeed, before that hour. Margery, who saw Madame disappear from his home in St. Louis about a month ago, stated that the writer contemplated suicide by cremation, and that on that spot would be found the result of the attempt. William W. Martin was 27 years old and a civil engineer of promise. In October a year ago he suffered a mental breakdown.

"With a knife?" said the inspector.

"No," rejoined the doctor decisively, "it was with a dagger by a kind of atletto. It was not by an ordinary knife that the wound was inflicted."

## CHAPTER IV.

**O**N account of its mystery the murder of Mrs. Jersey made a great sensation. The scene was dull and there was nothing of interest in the newspapers, therefore the mysterious crime was a godsend to the reporters. From being a peaceful neighborhood Amelia square became quite lively.

The boarders found all this most unpleasant. This rude awakening from their sleepy life was too much for them, and the majority made preparations to leave as soon as the inquest was over. Until then they were under surveillance and could not leave the neighborhood, a restriction which in itself was sufficiently unpleasant. Brendon found it particularly so, as he was anxious to get back to his own rooms at Kensington and to his work. But even when he told Inspector Quex that he was merely a visitor and knew nothing about the matter that zealous officer objected to his going. Perhaps, said Brendon insisted, he might have gained his point, but he did not think it was worth while to make the fact of his stay in the Jersey mansion too public and, therefore, held his peace. He stopped with Leonard as usual, but the two men were not such friends as they had been.

Why Train had changed toward him Brendon could not understand, but ever since Leonard had been submitted to the ordeal of seeing the corpse he had been an altered man.

From being gay he was now dull; instead of talking volubly, as he usually did, he was silent for hours at a stretch, and he appeared to shun Brendon's company. Fool as Train was, Brendon liked him sufficiently to resent his altered demeanor.

"I know you didn't. Nevertheless, if this police inspector knew what I told you he might get it into his stupid head that—well—"Brendon broke off abruptly—"I don't know what he mightn't think. However, I shall answer his questions as to my visit here and then go away."

"I'll go also," said Train, with a shudder. "I can't stop here after what has occurred. It's terrible. To think of that poor woman murdered! How lucky I locked my door last night!"

Brendon stopped in his walk and looked sharply at the young man.

"Why did you lock your door?" he asked, surprised.

"Well, you see, after Mrs. Jersey came into the sitting room I didn't like to think of her prowling about. One is so helpless when one is asleep," and Train shuddered.

"Did you expect her to murder you?" asked Brendon derisively.

"I didn't expect anything," retorted Leonard, rather nettled. "But I didn't want her to come into my rooms, so I got out of bed and locked the sitting room door."

"Not your bedroom door?"

"No, the sitting room door. So both you and I were quite safe from her prying."

Brendon looked steadily at Train and gave a short laugh. "Yes. As you locked the sitting room door she could not enter as you or I could get out."

"Leonard—"he paused and plucked his lip—"I do not think it will be wise for you to tell the inspector this."

"Why not? You and I are innocent."

"That goes without the saying," answered George sharply. "But the less we have to do with this unpleasant matter the better. I suppose we, in common with every one else here, will be called to give evidence at the inquest. Once that is done and Mrs. Jersey is safely buried I wash my hands of the whole affair."

Train shuddered. "So do I," said he.

"I am the last man in the world to wish to pursue the subject. But who can be guilty? It must be some one in the house!"

"I suppose so," replied Brendon, "unless Mrs. Jersey had a visitor last night."

"She might have had," said Leonard.

"When I locked the sitting room door, and that was about half past 11, I think, I heard the closing of the front door."

"The dence you did!"

"Yes, I put my head out and listened

## RUSSELL SAGE SETTLES SUIT

Gives Janitor's Widow \$750 in Place of \$50,000 Asked.

New York, Sept. 30.—Russell Sage has done an unusual thing. He gave Mrs. Bridget Kane \$750 in settlement of a damage suit for \$50,000. Mrs. Kane alleged that Mr. Sage was the owner of the house where she resides and where her husband was the janitor. While descending the staircase from the street to the basement her husband's foot caught on the first step and he fell into the area way. The reason alleged for his fall, from the results of which he subsequently died, was that the top step of the staircase was broken. The defective condition was alleged to be due to the carelessness and negligence of Mr. Sage and his agents and employees.

## MAN BURNS HIMSELF TO DEATH.

Charred Remains Supposedly of a St. Louis Suicide Are Discovered.

Shawneetown, Ill., Sept. 30.—Willie hunting in the woods near here George Porter, a farmer, found a part of a human skeleton and the charred remains of clothing lying in a pile of ashes. Hanging on a nearby tree was a coat, in the pocket of which was a note signed by W. W. Martin of St. Louis, who disappeared from his home in St. Louis about a month ago, stating that the writer contemplated suicide by cremation, and that on that spot would be found the result of the attempt. William W. Martin was 27 years old and a civil engineer of promise. In October a year ago he suffered a mental breakdown.

"It was about 12 o'clock that she was stabbed," said the doctor after he had made his examination, "but I can go only by the condition of the body. I should say a little before or after 12. She was stabbed in the neck with a sharp instrument."

"With a knife?" said the inspector.

"No," rejoined the doctor decisively.

"It was with a dagger by a kind of atletto. It was not by an ordinary knife that the wound was inflicted."

## CITY'S DOOM PERILS PROPHET

Prof. Gilbert, Who Foretold Chicago's Inundation, Is Caught in Flood.

Santa Fe, N. M., Sept. 30.—Professor George K. Gilbert of the United States geological survey, who prophesied that Chicago would be submerged in the waters of Lake Michigan, is reflecting on his prophecy in the midst of a flood near Las Cruces. The special train bearing the international geophysical congress is waterbound there.

Must Not Let Jezebel.

Vilna, Russia, Sept. 30.—By virtue of the emperor's ukase, extending the privileges of residence to certain classes of Jews, the police have received instructions hereafter to expel Jewish workmen from villages in which they have taken up their residence since 1882.

To Suppress Profanity.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 30.—The Rev. G. M. Morrell has formed a society to suppress profanity. Under his plan a man heard to swear is assessed a dollar for each oath and the money put in a fund for various charitable purposes.

Mining Contractor Is Killed.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 30.—Thomas W. Williams, prominent mining contractor of Wilkesbarre and brother of former Congressman Morgan B. Williams, was accidentally killed at the South Wilkesbarre colliery.

London's Lord Mayor.

London, Sept. 30.—Ald. John Pound, chairman of the London General Omnibus company, limited, has been chosen lord mayor of London for the ensuing year.

Kurd Massacre Armenians.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The Temps learns that the village of Rmms, Armenia, has been the scene of a massacre of Armenians by Kurds. Details are lacking.

Eight Miners Are Killed.

Berlin, Sept. 30.—The platform in a mine shaft at Becklinghausen, Westphalia, has collapsed, and ten miners were precipitated to the bottom of the shaft. Eight were killed and the remaining two seriously injured.

Awards Panama Contract.

Washington, Sept. 30.—The United States government has awarded the first contract for east iron pipes to be used in the Panama canal work to a Cincinnati firm.

Dies of His Injuries.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 30.—A. E. Black of Alexander, N. C., whose back was broken in the Southern railway collision near Newmarket, Tenn., is dead.

Forest Fires in Montana.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 30.—Reports from the Bitter Root forest reserve say that fire is ravaging the timber of the reserve with great destructive force.

I. M. Alling, Freeport—Was all run down. Could not eat or sleep.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made me a well man. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Smith Drug Co.

Report Favors Consul General.

Washington, Sept. 30.—The report of H. H. D. Pierce, third assistant secretary of state, concerning the case of Consul General John Goodnow at Shanghai, just made to the president, is stated unofficially to favor the accused official.

Mexican Girl Is Heavy.

City of Mexico, Sept. 30.—Chichita Alvarez, an Indian girl of 18 years, a native of a village in the state of Chilapa, Mexico, already weighs 558 pounds and is the fattest woman in the world.

Prisoner Tried to Die.

Joseph H. Edwards, en route to New Orleans to face charges of embezzling \$15,000, attempted to commit suicide by eating glass on the train after leaving Denver.

Costly Fire at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30.—Fire damaged the stock of the Fehren-Becker Petticoat company and the McDonald Skirt company to the extent of \$60,000.

## World's Fair Coach Excursions via the North-Western Line.

Very low rates to St. Louis will be in effect on several convenient dates in September and October for coach excursions to St. Louis via the Chicago & North-Western Ry. Only \$7.50 round trip from Janesville, Wis., return limit seven (7) days. A great opportunity to visit the world's fair at minimum of expense. Other favorable round trip rates are in effect daily, with liberal return limits, stop-over privileges, etc. Full information as to dates of sale, train schedules, checking of baggage and other matters of interest to the intending traveler on application to ticket agents of the Chicago & North-Western Ry.

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## ILLEGAL CORPORATIONS

President's Action in Enforcing Law Against Them.  
Northwestern Christian Advocate, Sept. 20, 1904.

In holding large corporations to strict accountability to the law the president is serving the best interests of those corporations, as well as conserving the welfare of the country. All corporations which are operating on an unlawful basis should be compelled to conform to the law. If they cannot or will not they should go out of business. This, some have been forced by the lawless conduct of their promoters and operators to do, to the great loss of their stockholders. Many formerly wealthy men are now broken in fortune because corporations with which they were connected were formed and operated in violation of law. The action of the president in enforcing the law would prevent, not promote, such losses.

One of the crying needs of America today is such respect for the laws of the nation as the president has shown. He did not make the laws, but it is his duty to obey them. He has set an example which every citizen should follow. If, that be done, we shall hear no more of mobs breaking into jails, defying police and militia and hunting or hunting prisoners suspected or convicted of crime, and burning property in a wild frenzy of disorder and lawlessness.

The Germans are usually found on the side of good government. They carry into the service of the state the same wholesome, practical ideas of economy and loyalty to trust which they practice in their domestic affairs. They hold public officials to high accountability, and this is well.—Senator Fairbanks at Indianapolis, Sept. 3, 1899.

## RURAL FREE DELIVERY

[Philadelphia Press.] The experiment of rural free delivery was begun under Democratic administration upon Democratic initiative.—Philadelphia Record.

What a cool and monumental whopper! Is it really a lack of knowledge or an opulence of campaign imagination? As a matter of fact President Cleveland in his messages actually opposed rural free delivery. Nevertheless, congress made a small appropriation of \$10,000 to test the feasibility of establishing a system of free mail delivery in rural districts. But Cleveland's postmaster general, Mr. Bissell, refused to apply it or make the attempt. The appropriation was renewed, and Mr. Bissell's successor, Postmaster General William L. Wilson, equally refused to use it.

It was not until President McKinley's administration that any practical attempt was made to organize rural free delivery, and then the movement was taken up so thoroughly, efficiently and faithfully that while he was president about 8,000 rural delivery routes were established, and the system was created and made as permanent a part of the postal service as free city delivery. There are now more than 20,000 routes in operation and the whole work from the beginning has been done under Republican administration. The Record must have got its information by way of Shanghai or Chefoo or Tom Taggart.

In the bitterness of its irony over the unassimilable strength of President Roosevelt's letter of acceptance, the New York Times exclaims, "he has done absolutely the right thing, the very best thing upon every government occasion, and with assured confidence he promises to keep on so doing. He has made no mistakes; he will make none." This is meant for irony of the real hot kind that comes from gnawing on file. But the question is not whether President Roosevelt's course has always been absolutely impeccable, but what different course could the Democrats have pursued on these government occasions that would not have landed us in the fog, fens and mazes of national demoralization and impotence?

Judge Parker is in training in earnest for Nov. 8. On the occasion of his trip to New York to consult Hill, Sheehan, Murphy, McCarron and Gorman about superseding Tom Taggart as campaign manager, the New York Times correspondent described him as "going on a swift drive down the rocky hill road to the dock." In November there will be no elegantly equipped steam yacht to receive him at the bottom of the hill—only gaping hole labeled "oblivion."

This country is now in a high state of prosperity. Never before did all the economic forces work together so unitedly for national welfare and prosperity as during the last few years. Would it be wise to exchange that condition for one not merely of uncertainty but of almost certain disaster?

Talk about political economy. The Democrats of Massachusetts are considering the advisability of nominating Douglas, the Brockton shoe man, in order to save money on campaign lithographs, because the pictures of Parker and Douglas are as like as two wooden shoepeggs.

With both Republican factions guaranteeing the electoral vote in Wisconsin to Roosevelt another iridescent rainbow dream of the Democracy goes glimmering into the realms of perpetual night.

Under the Wilson low tariff exports increased \$91,000,000; in three years under the Dingley tariff they increased \$155,000,000.

Rain of Fine Ashes.

Rome, Sept. 30.—There has been a plentiful fall of fine ashes or sand in south Italy, which is attributed to the eruption of Mount Vesuvius, or to the

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